

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 25Jul 58		2. LOCATION Alexandria, La.		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 25/2330Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		6. SOURCE Military & Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3 mins		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE E to NE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Rnd obj, size of grapefruit, red then white. Had intermittent trail, resembling sparks. Obj faded out.				11. COMMENTS Winds at cross angle to movement of obj. Sighting characteristic of a/c at dusk. Duration consistent with investigating officer.	

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RJWFHW/COMDR 33 ADIV

RJEDSQ/COMDR ATIC

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RJEPHQ/OFFICE OF INFORMATION SVE HQ USAF

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UNCLAS FROM TFW/1-INT, 593. THIS IS A UFO REPORT. THIS REPORT HAS BEEN PREPARED IAW PARA 15 AFR 200-2 DATED 5 FEB 58.

A. SHAPE, ROUND. SIZE, GRAPEFRUIT. COLOR, RED, THEN WHITE.

NUMBER, ONE. FORMATION NONE. DISCERNIBLE FEATURES, NONE.

TRAIL, INTERMITTENT, RESEMBLING SPARKS. SOUND, NONE. NO OTHER

UNUSUAL FEATURES. B. FIRST NOTICED OBJECTS BY CHANCE. ANGLE

OF ELEVATION APPROXIMATELY THIRTY DEGREES. SAME ANGLE UPON

DISAPPEARANCE. OBJECT MOVED FROM EAST TO NORTH NORTH EAST,

PARALLEL TO HORIZON. FADED OUT. OBJECT IN SIGHT APPROXIMATELY

THREE MINUTES. C. GROUND VISUAL OBSERVATION, NO OPTICAL AIDS

Specular reflection of sun's glint rays off a smooth surface (or old well-known effect)

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USED. TIME OF SIGHTING, 25/2330Z JULY. LIGHT CONDITIONS, DUSK.

LOCATION OF OBSERVERS, 3119 NORTH LATITUDE 9228 WEST LONGITUDE,

WITHIN CITY LIMITS OF ALEXANDRIA LOUISIANA, F. OBSERVERS,

LT. CLEMIS A BAILEY AO3053355, HQ 834 ABGRU, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AVENUE, LOUISVILLE KY, AGE 45 YRS, OCCUPATION

SCHOOL TEACHER, MRS. [REDACTED] 50 [REDACTED] ROAD, ALEXANDRIA,

LA., AGE 35 YRS, HOUSEWIFE. ALL OBSERVERS APPEAR CAPABLE OF

MATURE JUDGEEMENT AND LT. BAILEY IS CONSIDERED A QUALIFIED OBSERVER

BECAUSE OF HIS POSITION AS A PILOT. G. WEATHER, CLEAR, HIGH

BROKEN EIGHT TENTHS CARRO CUMULUS 15 MILE VIAIBILITY. NO RAIN OR

STROMS IN AREA. WINDS, AT 2000 FEET, 220 DEGREES TWELVE KNOTS,

10000 FEET, 280 DEGREES TWENTY SIX KNOTS, 20000 FEET, 050 DEGREES

TWENTY KNOTS, 30000 FEET 350 DEGREES FIFTEEN KNOTS, 40000 FEET

040 DEGREES FIFTEEN KNOTS, SURFACE WINDS FROM SOUTH AT FOUR KNOTS.

BASE OPERATIONS, ENGLAND AFB INDICATE SEVERAL NIGHT FLIGHTS IN

PROGRESS AT TIME OF SIGHTING, INVESTIGATING OFFICER BELIEVES

THE OBJECT IN QUESTION IS AIRCRAFT NAVIGATION LIGHTS, BUT INFORMATION

AVAILABLE THUS FAR MAKES DEFINITE CONCLUSION IMPOSSIBLE. INVESTIGATING

OFFICER IS ASSISTANT WING INTELLIGENCE OFFICER 401 TACTICAL FIGHTER

WING ENGLAND AFB LA. END.

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Note (1) Sk. & overcast with clouds

(2) Dusk

(3) Sun low on West.

(4) Object observed E-NE (away from Sun)

(5) Round, grapefruit and (most important) red-white

(6) Three, repeat 3, numbers in sight - over with sky clouds. [REDACTED]

(7) Object moving E to NE

(8) Winds up to 20,000 ft (note, [REDACTED])

size of grapefruit, [REDACTED], [REDACTED] - also blowing E to NE (from W-SW)

CONCLUSIONS: BALLOON AS
OBSERVED IN DUSK, CLOUD
COVERED SKY (common - [REDACTED])
report - see sketch

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